



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 08350.0673

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Frank G. Hughes et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3748  
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Application No.: 10/662,823 ) Examiner: Not yet assigned  
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Filed: September 16, 2003 )  
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For: CYLINDER BLOCK FOR AN )  
INTERNAL COMBUSTION )  
ENGINE HAVING A TAPERED )  
COOLANT JACKET )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to reply to the  
Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application of December 9, 2003. A fee  
of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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